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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Albrecht von Linde Group Art Unit: 3671

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For: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR MODIFYING THE LAYOUT OF A VEHICLE

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<u>AMENDMENT B</u>

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Final Office Action dated December 3, 2008, for which a shortened statutory period for reply has been extended up to and including April 3, 2009. A petition for a one-month Extension of Time is submitted herewith. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Amendments and Remarks.